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- 4. Petition for extension of time. The undersigned attorney of record hereby petitions for an extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), as may be required, to file this response.

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In response to the Office Action mailed on November 15, 2005 finally rejecting all pending claims, please amend the subject application as set forth below.

Please amend the claims to read as set forth in the claim listing that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin at page 8 of this paper.

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